British Antarctic Territory

The British Antarctic Territory is a sector of Antarctica claimed by the United Kingdom. It is situated in Antarctica from the South Pole to 60°S latitude between longitudes 20°W and 80°W. The Territory was formed on 3rd March, 1962, although the UK first claimed this portion of the Antarctic in 1908. The area now covered by the Territory includes three regions which, before 1962, were separate dependencies of the Falkland Islands: Graham Land, the South Orkney Islands, and the South Shetland Islands.

The Territory overlaps with Antarctic claims by Argentina (Argentine Antarctica) and Chile (Antártica Chilena Province). The Territory is inhabited by the staff of research and support stations operated and maintained by the British Antarctic Survey and other organisations and stations of Argentina, Chile and other countries.

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

1963

Scott 2

Scott 3

Scott 4

Scott 5

Scott 6

Scott 7

Scott 8

Scott 9

Scott 10

Scott 11

Scott 12

Scott 13

Scott 14

Scott 15

1969

Scott 24

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

1966

1969

1971

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

1972-74

5'
15'
BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY
CENTENARY OF THE BIRTH OF
SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL
1874 – 1974

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

1973

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

1977-79

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

1980-82

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

1982

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

1984

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

1987-88

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

1991

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BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

1994

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1996

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

1998

BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

2000

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